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CITY OF OLEAN DECLARES SNOW EVENT

January 26, 2026 - Olean - Amy B. Sherburne, Mayor of the City of Olean, has declared a **Snow Event effective January 26, 2026**. The Snow Event designation restricts and prohibits parking on specific streets during snowfalls to allow for City snowplows to effectively clear City Streets. **The Snow Event will remain in effect until Tuesday, January 27, 2026.**

Parking of motor vehicles on **primary streets** shall be prohibited between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. Parking on **sub-primary streets** shall be prohibited between 12:00 midnight and 7:00 a.m. **Primary streets** are: North and South Union; East and West State.

Sub-primary streets are: Alder from Seneca to Spring; Buffalo; Clark; Clinton, North and South; Constitution; Delaware from Union to Barry; Eighth, North, between West Sullivan Street and Wayne Street; Elm, East and West; Euclid, Fifteenth; First, South from State to Irving; First, North; Forest, North (200 and 300 blocks); Fourth, South (200 block); Fourth, North from Wayne north; Franchot Boulevard (east of Union); Franklin; Front; Genesee; Green, West; Hamilton; Henley West; Higgins; Highland Terrace; Homer; Indiana Avenue; Irving; Johnson; King; Laurens; Madison; Main; Nineteenth, South; Oregon; Oviatt (east of Main); Pine; Prospect; Queen; Reed from Third to Thirteenth; River; Seneca; Seventh; South; Spring, East; Spruce; Stardust; Sullivan, West, from Union to Fifteenth; Sunrise, from Stardust to Van Buren; Terrace; Third, North (300 block); Twelfth; Twenty-first; Twenty-fourth; Times Square; Union Street, North Extension; Van Buren; Washington; Wayne; York.

During a Snow Event, an owner of a motor vehicle who resides at a premise that does not have a driveway is permitted to park their vehicle in any city owned public parking lot free of charge during the Snow Event.

The fine for any violation is \$75.00 and will be imposed on the registered owner of the vehicle. The fine is in addition to any costs for removal and storage payable to any towing company engaged to remove a vehicle under this section.

The Snow Event will remain in effect until further notice.

Declaring this snow event will assist the City's streets division with their work to finish cleaning up the accumulated snow on the streets and in the public parking lots. The streets division has been actively plowing the streets since mid-morning on Sunday, 25 January 2026. The effort has varied between two and four primary snow plow trucks, augmented with up to three smaller trucks handling dead end streets and parking lots. The scheduling of these trucks was based on the forecast snow fall, and concentrated the effort during the overnight hours. Snow removal work is more efficient during the overnight hours when traffic on the streets is a minimum. The crews will continue to pursue this clean-up effort during the normal work shift today, Monday, 26 January 2026. Overnight tonight the crew will be back on duty plowing where needed and removing accumulated snow from public parking areas around the City.